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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Deputy to the DCI for the  
Intelligence Community

VIA: [REDACTED]  
Chief, ICS/Support Staff

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FROM: [REDACTED]  
Acting Director of Performance Evaluation  
and Improvement

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SUBJECT: Request for External Assistance Contract  
Support for Two OPEI Projects

1. Request authority to undertake the contract efforts described in the attached work statement. This contract request would modify an existing contract with [REDACTED] by extending efforts on an ongoing task (Task #3) and initiating a new task (Task #5). The combined cost of the efforts should not exceed [REDACTED]. OPEI has the contract funds to cover this work.

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2. The modification of Task #3 will allow [REDACTED] to continue support to [REDACTED] (OPEI/ID) in his study of intelligence support to R&D. [REDACTED] recently briefed me on the results of the study so far, and I strongly support its continuation. Since [REDACTED], has been working on the development of this project to this point under a CIA contract, it is uniquely qualified to be contracted for this extension.

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3. The initiation of a new Task #5 will allow [REDACTED] to offer advice in the short term to [REDACTED] (OPEI/PAID) as he prepares to put the supergrade review together (due to OMB in August). In the longer term, it will permit a more structured analysis of the distribution,

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mix and utilization of supergrade personnel throughout the Intelligence Community to provide the DCI with a solid base for management justification and decisionmaking. Although [redacted] did some consulting for us on this same problem under an earlier contract, the advice received was not very helpful. Preliminary discussions between [redacted] and [redacted] have been very promising on this front.

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Attachment:  
Work Statement



APPROVED:

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